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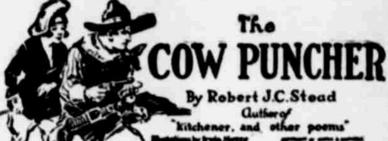


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"of course we must save Irene."

But concerning another part of his program Conward was even less frank with Mrs. Hardy. He was clever enough to know that he must observe certain limitations. At length all his plans appeared to

be complete. The city was in a tumult of excitement over the war, but for Conward a deeper interest centered in the plot he was hatching under the unsuspecting noses of Irene and Elden. If he could trap Dave the rest would another plan to give failure at least the appearance of success.



at once.

on a telephone.

The fact that the nation was now

at war probably had an influence in

speeding up the plot. Everything was

under high tension; powerful currents

of thought were pearing the masses

On this early August night he ascer

"This is the night," he explained

"You will find him alone in his office.

to the Hardy nome, exchanged a few

Poring over his correspondence,

hours in a valiant effort at concentra

"Come in." he called.

young woman.

you?"

There came a timid knock at the door.

No one entered, but presently be

walked to the door. Outside stood a

"If you please," she said, "excuse

"Yes. Can I help you in any way?"

The woman tittered a moment, but

"I suspected it," said Dave with a

"Like a country girl." he said, boldly.

She tittered again. "Well, I'm lost,"

she confessed. "I got off the train a short time ago. My aunt was to meet

me, but there are such crowds in the

street. I must have missed her. And I

saw your name on the window and I

had heard of you. So I just thought

that I'd ask-if you wouldn't mind-

She fumbled in her pocket, and Dave

invited her into the office. There she

produced a torn piece of paper with

said Dave. "Til walk around with

that moment there was another timid

knock on the door. He opened it. A

The lad looked shyly about the of-

ce. It was evident he was impressed

"Yes. Were you thinking of buying

"Did you sell lots to my father?"

perhaps I could tell you. Who is your

he said to me, before he got so had, he

this city, and that's Mr. Elden.' Is

"Well, I hope it is, but I won't claim

such a distinction. I remember your

father very well. Did he send you to

"No, sir. He's too sick. He don't

"Have you help - a doctor - a

"No, sir. We haven't any money.

My father spent it all for the lots that

Dave winced. Then, turning to the

a taxi to take you to your address."

To his surprise, his visitor broke out

"It's all off," she said. "Say, Dave,

you couldn't lose me in this burg.

You don't remember me, do you? Well,

all the better. I'm rather glad I broke

down on this job. I used to be some-

thing of an actress, and I'd have put

it over if it hadn't been for the kid.

The fact is, Dave," she continued, "I

was sent up here to decoy you. It

wasn't fair fighting, and I didn't like

it, but money has been mighty slow

Dave pulled some bills from his

pocket and held them before her. She

Dave's blood went to his head, "The

scoundrel!" he cried. "The low-down

"Sure there is," she said. "There's

Elden walked to his desk. From a

it a moment in his hands, broke it

For a moment he stood irresolute

another woman. There always is."

dog! There's more in this than ap-

of late. I wonder-how much you'd

give to know who sent me?"

took them from his hand.

"Conward," she said.

pears on the surface,"

thrust it in his pocket.

in a ribald laugh. She had seated her-

"He's Mr. Merton. I'm his son, And

boy of eight or ten years stood outside

What is it, son?"

Elden that sells lots?"

that you, Mr. Elden?"

about you, and I just came."

he bought from you."

foot jauntily.

a few lots?"

father?"

"Why, that's just a few blocks!"

He turned for his hat, but at

showing me to this address."

an address.

at me coming to you, but I'm from the

smile, "You knocked-" He paused.

country. Did you think that?"

words with Irene, and sat down to

hand of cribbage with her mother.

-18-Conward paused to speak to Irene pefore leaving the house.

"I owe you my good wishes," he said. "And I give them most frankly. aithough perhaps with more difficulty

than you suppose," "You are very good, Mr. Conward," she acknowledged.

"I could not wish you anything but happiness," he returned. "And had I been so fortunate as Elden, in making your acquaintance first, I might have hoped to contribute to your happiness more directly than I can under the present circumstances." speaking in his low, sedulous notes, and his words sent the girl's blood rushing in a strange mixture of gratification and anger. The tribute be implied-that he himself would have been glad to have been her suitorwas skillfully planned to appeal to her vanity, and her anger was due to its success. She told berself she should not listen to such words; she should hate to hear such words. And yet she listened to them, and was not sure that she hated them. She could

"You are very good. Mr. Conward." He pressed her hand at the door. and again that strange mixture of emotions surged through her.

Conward proceeded to the business section of the town, well pleased with the evening's events. He found his way impeded by crowds in front of the newspaper offices. He had paid little attention to the progress of the war scare, attributing it to the skillful publicity of interests connected with the manufacture of armaments. To the last he had not believed that war was

"Nobody wants to fight," he had assured his business acquaintances. "Even the armament people don't want to fight. All they want is to frighten more money out of the taxpayers of Europe." To Conward this explanation seemed very complete. It covered the whole ground and left nothing to be said.

But tonight he was aware of a keeper tension in the crowd atmos-They were good-natured crowds, to be sure, laughing and cheering and making sallies of heavy wit; but they were in some way more intense than he had ever seen before. There was no fear of war; there was, rather, an adventurous spirit which seemed to fear that the affair would blow over, as had so many affairs in the past, and all the excitement go with its magnificence. "Are you Mr. for nothing. That war, if it came to war, could last no one dreamed; it would be a matter of a few weeks, a few months, at the most, until a thorbehind the Rhine to plan ways of raising the indemnity which outraged civilization would demand.

Conward elbowed his way through the crowds, smiling, in his superior said, 'There's just one honest man in knowledge, over their excitement. Newspapers must have headlines.

At his office Conward used a telephone. Then he walked to a restaurant, where, after a few minutes, he was joined by a young woman. They me?" took a table in a box. Supper was disposed of, and the young woman began to grow impatient.

"Well, you brought me here," she said, at last. "You've fed me, and you don't feed anybody. Conward, without a purpose. What's the consideration?" "I'm pulling off a little joke, and I nurse?" want you to help me. You know Elden -Dave Elden?"

"Sure. I've known him ever since that jolt put him out of business up in your rooms, ever so many years ago.

He was too rural for that mixture." "I want you to get him down to your place some night to be agreed upon-I'll fix the date later-and keep

his fiancee." "Some Joke," she said, and there was disgust in her voice. "Who is it on-Elden, me, or the girl?"

"Never mind who it's on." Conward returned. "I'm paying for it. Here's something on account, and if you make a good job of it I won't be stingy."

He handed her a bill, which she kissed and put in her purse. "I need the money, Conward, or I wouldn't take it "

This part of his trap set, Conward awaited a suitable opportunity to spring it. In the meantime he took Mrs. Hardy partially into his confidence. He allowed her to believe, however, that Elden's habits would stand correction and he had merely arranged to trap him in one of his favorite haunts. She was very much shocked and thought it was very dreadful, but

know a thing-not a d- thing." be easy. If he failed in this he had

impulse was to immediately confront Conward, force a confession and deal with him as the occasion might seem to require. But his eye fell on the boy, with his shock of brown hair and wistful, baif-frightened face.

"I'll go with you first," be said, with quick decision. Then to the girl, "Sorry I must turn you out, but this case is urgent."

"That's all right," she said. "Tm used to being turned out." And before be knew it she was in the street.

"All right, son, said Dave, taking up the matter now in hand. "What's your name-your first name? "Charile."

"And your address?" The boy mentioned a distant sub-

along unaccustomed channels; society "That is out, isn't it? Well, we'll itself was in a state of flux. If he were to strike at all let the blow fall

take the car. I guess I'd better call a doctor at once. He west to the telephone and gave

some directions. Then he and the boy walked to a garage and in a few tained that Dave was working alone in his office. Then he called a number moments were humming along the by streets into the country. Dave had already become engrossed in his errand of mercy and his rage at Con-I will be waiting to hear from you ward, if not forgotten, was tempo at-" he quoted Mrs. Hardy's telerarily dismissed from his mind. phone number. Then he drove his car He chatted with the boy.

"You go to school?"

"Not this year. Father has been too sick. Of course, these are holidays, and he says he'll be all right before Dave, with his ear cocked for the cry of the latest extra, spent the evening

Dave smiled grimly. "The incurable optimism of it," he murmured to himself. Then outwardly: "Of course he We'll fix him up in no time will. with a good doctor and a good nurse."

They drove on through the calm heard the knock again. He rose and night, leaving the city streets behind and following what was little more than a country trail. Here and there they bumped over pieces of graded me, but-you are Mr. Elden, aren't street, infinitely rougher than the natural prairie; once Dave dropped his front wheels into a collapsing water trench; once he just grazed an isoresumed soberiy: "You will wonder lated hydrant.

> "And this is one of our 'choice residential subdivisions," said Dave to himself, "Fine business! Fine busi-

As the journey continued the sense of self-reproach which had been static in him for many months became



Scoundrel!" He Cried.

ward into his mind sent the blood to his head, but at that moment his reflections were cut short by the boy. "We will have to get out here," he

said. "The bridge is down." Investigation proved him to be right. A bridge over a small stream had collapsed and was slowly disintegrating amid its own wreckage, Dave ran the car a little to one side of the road, locked the switch and walked on with the boy.

know anybody now. He didn't know me tonight." The boy's voice went "Fine business!" Dave repeated to himself. "And this is how our big thick and he stopped and swallowed. success was made. Well, the 'suc-"And then I remembered what he said cess' has vanished as quickly as it came. I suppose there is a law somewhere that is not mocked."

They were passing through a settlement of crude houses, dimly visible in the starlight and by occasional yellow blurs from their windows. Before one of the meanest of these the boy young woman: "I'm afraid this is a more urgent case than yours. I'll call at last stopped, pulled the door open and Dave entered. At first he was conscious of a very small and stuffy room, with a peculiar odor which he him there until I call for him, with self on a desk and was swinging one attributed to an oil lamp burning on a box. He walked over and turned the lamp up, but the oil was consumed; a red, sullen, smoking wick was its only response. Then he felt in his pocket and struck a match.

The light revealed the dinginess of the little room. There was a bed covered with musty, ragged clothing; a table littered with broken and dirty dishes and pieces of stale food; a stove cracked and greasy, and one or two bare boxes serving as articles of furniture. But it was to the bed Dave turned, and with another match bent over the shrupken form that lay almost concealed amid the coarse coverings. He brought his face down close, then straightened up and steadied himself for a moment.
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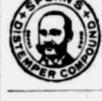
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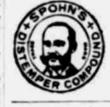


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